

GENERAL NEWS

Kiwanis selling See's Candy through Christmas Eve

The Kiwanis Club of Florence is selling See's Candy as a fundraiser at Roby's Furniture and Appliance, 1870 Highway 101, now through Dec. 24, or until the candy is gone.

Candy sales are open Monday through Saturday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

This is a new location for the Kiwanis See's Candy Sales, so people are encouraged to stop in and visit Kiwanis volunteers in this new, warm venue.

Proceeds from the candy sales go to Kiwanis projects like the Community Thanksgiving Dinner (which served over 665 people in November), Head Start Harvest Festival, school supplies for Mapleton and Siuslaw schools, Rhody Days Kids Games, Key Club & Builders Clubs at area schools and the Florence and Mapleton food shares, just to name a few.

Candy includes the traditional 1-pound boxes of chocolates, but Kiwanis will also be selling peanut brittle, truffles and holiday boxed chocolates.

"Please help support the Kiwanis Club of Florence so we can continue our local projects," said Kiwanian Jean Murphey.

For more information, visit www.florencekiwanis.org.

Empty Bowls helps add to food pantry



JARED ANDERSON/SIUSLAW NEWS

Over the weekend, the annual Empty Bowls event to benefit Florence Food Share took place Nov. 30 through Dec. 2 at the Florence Events Center, where hundreds of handmade ceramic bowls created by local artists from throughout the community, including students at Siuslaw High School, were for sale. Money collected from the event goes to local food pantry Florence Food Share.

PAC makes progress toward art beautification projects

Public Art Committee (PAC) has been making some big strides towards 2019, the biggest year yet for the committee.

After a competitive application process, the Public Art Committee has nominated two members of the public to be part of our Selection Committee for the Central Lincoln PUD building mural.

Annalee Griffis, a Siuslaw High School senior, and Patricia Briggs, who recently moved to Florence from Yachats, will join Harlen Springer (PAC chairperson), Joshua Greene (City Councilor and Ex-Officio to PAC) and Mark Freeman (Central Lincoln

PUD representative) on the selection committee.

The selection committee will meet the first week of December, where they will make a recommendation to the PAC about what artist's proposal should be chosen for the Central Lincoln PUD Mural.

PAC values the input of the community on these types of serious decisions and aims to involve the community as much as possible.

The final decision will be made by the full Public Art Committee at the next meeting on Monday, Dec. 10, to which the public is invited.

At the Nov. 20 meeting of the Florence Urban Renewal

Agency (FURA), the board authorized City Manager Erin Reynolds to sign the contract for Jessilyn Brinkerhoff, the artist chosen for the Siuslaw Bridge Steps project.

Now that the contract is signed, the artist will be finalizing her design based off input from FURA board members as well as members of PAC, then submitting it to the Oregon Department of Transportation as well as the State Historic Preservation Office for review.

Once she has been approved, Brinkerhoff will be working on fabrication of the metal pieces of her installation over the winter with a hopeful



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December 7 - 13	FRI 7	SAT 8	SUN 9	MON 10	TUE 11	WED 12	THU 13
BEAUTIFUL BOY - R 112 MIN - "Strong, committed performances and the upsetting ring of reality anchor a highly-personal film which cycles through addiction, relapse and rehab in an episodic way." Screen Intl	1:00 PM 6:20 PM	10:50 AM 6:20 PM	2:45 PM 8:15 PM	1:00 PM 6:50 PM	1:00 PM 6:50 PM	12:30 PM	1:00 PM 6:50 PM
CREED II - PG-13 117 MIN - "A terrific movie, a boxing picture full of inspired sweetness and shrewd science that honors the cherished traditions of the genre while feeling like something new and exciting in the world." NYT	1:15 PM 3:40 PM 6:15 PM 8:55 PM	1:15 PM 3:40 PM 6:15 PM 8:55 PM	12:15 PM 2:55 PM 5:25 PM 8:10 PM	1:15 PM 4:00 PM 7:00 PM	4:00 PM 7:00 PM	1:15 PM 4:10 PM 7:00 PM	1:15 PM 4:00 PM 7:00 PM
FANTASTIC BEASTS: THE CRIMES OF GRINDELWALD - PG-13 134 MIN - "That entertainment enchanter JK Rowling has come storming back to the world of magic in a shower of supernatural sparks." The Guardian	12:40 PM 3:25 PM 6:05 PM 8:45 PM	12:40 PM 3:25 PM 6:05 PM 8:45 PM	12:10 PM 2:25 PM 5:10 PM 7:55 PM	12:40 PM 3:40 PM 6:30 PM	12:40 PM 3:40 PM	12:40 PM 4:00 PM 7:00 PM	12:40 PM 3:40 PM 6:30 PM
WIDOWS - R 129 MIN - "McQueen has made a big, pulpy crowd-pleaser, but he uses it to tell a story with real meaning. Widows is methodical in its imagery and gracefully written; it's also a suspenseful blast, best seen with the biggest, most animated audience possible." The Atlantic	12:50 PM 3:30 PM 6:25 PM 8:50 PM	12:50 PM 3:30 PM 6:25 PM 8:50 PM	12:05 PM 3:05 PM 5:20 PM 8:05 PM	12:50 PM 3:50 PM 6:40 PM	12:50 PM 3:50 PM 6:40 PM	12:50 PM 3:50 PM 6:40 PM	12:50 PM 3:50 PM 6:40 PM
WILDLIFE - PG-13 104 MIN - Stars Carey Mulligan, Jake Gyllenhaal - "Wildlife isn't just a great first film, it's a great film." AP	3:45 PM 9:10 PM	3:45 PM 9:10 PM	5:50 PM	4:10 PM	3:30 PM	3:40 PM	4:10 PM

Events & Performing Arts:	FRI 7	SAT 8	SUN 9	MON 10	TUE 11	WED 12	THU 13
GLOBE ON SCREEN: THE WINTER'S TALE	Encore!	11:00 AM					
THE MERCY - NR 112 MIN - "Colin Firth is terrific in an unbelievable-but-true tale."			12:00 PM				
DIVIDE IN CONCORD NR - The Siuslaw News Presents - FREE					12:30 PM 6:30 PM		
NT LIVE: THE MADNESS OF GEORGE III 210 MIN - 4/4 Stars - "Mark Gatiss and Adrian Scarborough are electric." The Guardian						6:00 PM	

Box Office opens 30 min. prior to 1st Film | 1930 HWY 101 | www.citylightscinemas.com | Times: 541-305-0014

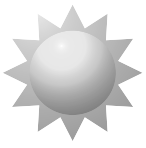
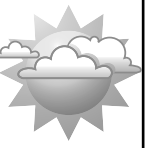
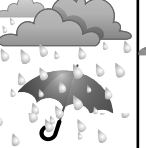
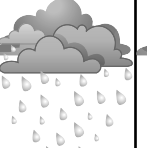
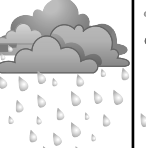
Children's choir prepares for 'Joyful Noise' concert Dec. 9

The Joyful Noise Children's Choir is excited to invite the Florence community to their holiday production, "The Christmas Express."

The show will be presented on Sunday, Dec. 9, at 9 a.m. and 10 a.m. at the Florence Christian Church, located at Second and Ivy streets.

Joyful Noise Children's Choir is a seasonal choir for children of our community, 4 years old through fifth grade.

Everyone is invited to attend. For more information, contact the church office at 541-997-2961.

WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY
DECEMBER 5	DECEMBER 6	DECEMBER 7	DECEMBER 8	DECEMBER 9	DECEMBER 10	DECEMBER 11
						
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